

# AJA FILM NIGHTS FOR WOMEN

10-WEEK 'DISCUSSION' COURSE

**Beginning Friday 29.1 until 9.4  
17.30 - 18.45 (75-minute sessions)**



Maximum - 10 ladies

## About the course:

This course is designed with films specially chosen with women in mind. These film nights will help you to improve your communication skills and your confidence in speaking English in a social setting. Each lesson focuses on a film with interesting discussion themes. We will talk about the film and the topics in our syllabus below. We will also send you weekly materials that includes vocabulary and phrases that will help you in our discussions. Each lesson you will also be given a reflection question that you can write your opinion on and your teacher will correct your English. The course is aimed at level B1 and up. We also understand that sometimes you may not watch the entire film. That is okay, we still want you to join.

## HOW DOES IT WORK?

**YOU WATCH THE FILM AT YOUR CONVENIENCE (WE WILL SEND YOU THE FILM) AND THEN WE DISCUSS IT:)**

**EVERY FILM NIGHT WE DISCUSS DIFFERENT THEMES - SEE BELOW**

### Film of the week

### Fridays 17.30 - 18.45 (75 min.)

**29.1**

**FILM 1 |  
9-5 (1980)**

- The world of work -fields and sectors
- Talking about what 'field' of work you are in
- What is the 'glass ceiling'?
- Parts of a film

**5.2**

**FILM 2 |  
THE BIG CHILL (1983)**

- Family & Relationships
- Comparing relationships
- What is an ideal relationship?

**12.2**

**FILM 3 |  
THE COLOR PURPLE (1985)**

- Discrimination
- Problems in relationships
- Issues dealing with racism

**19.2**

**FILM 4 |  
THE ACCUSED (1988)**

- Violence against women
- Male and female stereotypes
- What is the 'boys will be boys' culture?

**26.2**

**FILM 5 |  
THELMA & LOUISE (1991)**

- Road trips and travel
- Crazy and fun times
- Travel idioms
- What can go wrong on a trip?



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- **the course will not happen on Good Friday 2.4 and our last film night will be on 9.4**

**5.3**

**FILM 6 |  
FRIED GREEN TOMATOES (1991)**

- Owning and starting a business
- Food and eating
- Food idioms
- What are flashbacks in film?

**12.3**

**FILM 7 |  
LEGENDS OF THE FALL (1994)**

- Love triangles
- A country at war
- Struggling with loss
- What does it mean to 'live life to the fullest'?

**19.3**

**FILM 8 |  
ERIN BROCKOVICH (2000)**

- Talking about our environment
- What is a 'whistleblower'?
- What are some issues in our world

**26.3**

**FILM 9 |  
WILD (2014)**

- The road to self-discovery
- Doing what you need to for yourself
- Mindfulness
- How can mindfulness lead to self-discovery?

**9.4**

**FILM 10 |  
OCEAN'S 8**

- Taking charge of your life
- Doing things the unconventional way
- Soft-skills and life experience to succeed

**WE WILL DISCUSS THE FILM BUT IT IS OKAY IF YOU DID NOT HAVE TIME TO FINISH WATCHING THE FILM OF THE WEEK.**

**10 WEEKS,  
10 STUDENTS MAX  
10 REFLECTIVE QUESTIONS  
THAT CAN HELP YOU IMPROVE YOUR WRITING (OPTIONAL) AN  
ONLINE DISCUSSION FORUM JUST FOR OUR GROUP**